

Building Level entrance, ramp available. Ground floor has 3 steps and 2 steps to rear exit, portable ramp available

Grounds Some uneven terrain, loose gravel paths, slopes, uneven cobbles. Some visitors may require assistance from their companion



Other features Touch wood engravings; smell the printers ink; listen to the press room demonstrations; picnic in the garden (accessible picnic tables); listen to the birds; enjoy the farmyard smells: donkeys, sheep, poultry and cat! Please telephone in advance of a visit; also to enquire about traditional music events

Cragside



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Extraordinary Victorian house, gardens and estate – the wonder of its age

Note Please contact in advance to help us plan your visit. Hop-on, hop-off courtesy minibus between main facilities

House
Visitor centre
Estate

Parking designated parking in main car park 120 yards from Visitor Centre and by Information Hut with nearby minibus collection point. Drop-off point at front of house.

No parking available outside house entrance. Courtesy minibus is wheelchair accessible

Accessible toilet at visitor centre and house

House Ramped entrance. 2 wheelchairs. Access to eight rooms on the ground floor

Grounds Challenging terrain and distances throughout due to rugged nature of property. Steep slopes, many steps, terraces, undulating terrain, uneven, narrow, loose and hard gravel paths, paths can be waterlogged

Other features Virtual tour of house



Farne Islands



Northumberland

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Rocky islands, habitat for seals and many species of seabird

Note Only Inner Farne is accessible. Tidal conditions in harbour can make access to boats (not National Trust) difficult. Contact in advance



Accessible toilet on Inner Farne

Grounds Steepish incline from jetty to level ground. Circular boardwalk around island. No wheelchair access to cliff edges

Grounds Compacted gravel paths, natural grass and woodland surfaces, some slopes and steps. Accessible route map available. Explore with 2 single seater powered mobility vehicles, 2 wheelchairs, 2 rugged pushchairs or a driven shuttle bus from entrance to Stables every weekend and school holiday

Other features Gibside is full of fantastic views, scents, textures, tastes and sounds, from the cool Chapel stone work and smooth wooden pews to spongy bark of the giant redwood trees. There are scented flowers, herbs and shrubs in the Walled Garden or Victorian Shrubbery. Listen out for birdsong, red kites calling or woodpeckers drumming, the wind rustling through trees on the Avenue and the babble of water over rocks in the river Derwent

Hadrian's Wall and Housesteads Fort



Bardon Mill, Hexham, Northumberland NE47 6NN

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Roman wall snaking across dramatic countryside

Note Steep slope from car and coach park to fort and English Heritage Museum

 Visitor centre  English Heritage museum  Fort  

Parking on request at National Trust Information Centre, limited parking available for cars at English Heritage Museum, 100 yards from fort








Central Hall

Stables

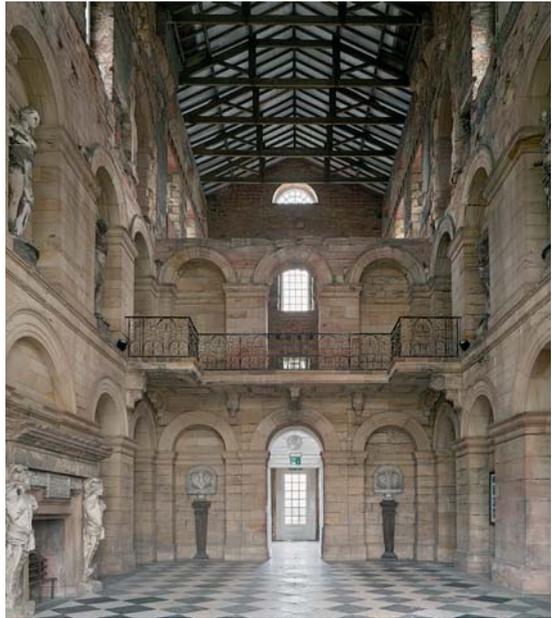

Gardens and grounds  

Parking approximately 300 yards on slight uphill gradient from hall; access to buildings and gardens across gravelled courtyard surface. Access from car park over gravel surface. We are working to reduce the gravelled areas

Accessible toilet temporary accessible portaloos; long term solutions being developed

Central Hall Main

entrance to front and rear of central hall via stone steps; spiral staircases up to first floor and down to cellars; level access to stables; some uneven floors (especially stables and cellars); limited access to ice house. Access to upper floor of West Wing via a flight of stairs



Grounds Front courtyard is gravelled, arcades have some uneven flag-stones; wide gravel path gives access to rose garden and great views of the sunken garden from a terrace; steps or shallow grass slope down to sunken garden and pavements. Map of accessible areas available

Other features Simple virtual tour showing large photos of inaccessible parts of the buildings and estate

Souter Lighthouse and The Leas



Coast Road, Whitburn, Sunderland, Tyne & Wear SR6 7NH

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Striking Victorian lighthouse above 2½ miles of beach, cliff and grasslands with spectacular views



Parking level access from main car park. Drop-off point outside shop entrance

Accessible toilet on ground floor, accessible from outside

Building Ramped entrance. 1 wheelchair available for use. 1 step to Victorian keeper’s cottage on ground floor. Stairs to other floors. A ground-floor CCTV shows views from the top for those unable to climb. Ramped access including turn to tea-room. Please ask for assistance if required

Grounds Accessible. Hard surface within Lighthouse grounds, with ramped access at entrance gates. Access to Foghorn Field at lower level via tarmac path beside Lighthouse. Accessible coast route from north to south of property, hard gravel clifftop path



Other features Exciting items to discover are the shipwreck map, ‘feelie’ barrel for smugglers’ goods, knot trays, a Morse code signaller, compressed air tanks and engines. A great range of children’s activities; trails, dressing up, children’s guidebook and explorer’s handbook

Wallington



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Magnificent mansion with fine interiors and collections, set in an extensive garden and parkland



Café & Shop **Grounds**

Parking in main car park adjacent to visitor reception, 200 yards from house. Also available at walled garden (obtain pass from visitor reception). Drop-off point by arrangement

Accessible toilet in courtyard and house

House 3 steps to entrance with handrail. Ramp also available. 2 wheelchairs available to borrow. Ground floor accessible. Lift to first floor. Steps with handrail to Cabinet of Curiosities



Grounds Varying terrain – tarmac, gravel and woodland paths. Some slopes, steps and uneven terrain in woodland areas. Map available of accessible route. 3 wheelchairs available to borrow along with 1 single-seater Trammer and 1 single-seater PMV, booking recommended

Washington Old Hall



The Avenue, Washington Village, Washington,
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Manor house associated with the family of George Washington,
first president of the USA

Note Please contact in advance. Garden lift which can be
controlled by visitors themselves



Parking in main car park. Parking
available beside Old Hall

Accessible toilet on ground
floor, off Great Hall

Building Level access to ground
floor from rear of house.
3 steps to entrance with
handrail. 2 wheelchairs,
booking essential. Ground
floor accessible. Stairs with
handrail to other floors, hand-held DVD player available



Grounds Access to lower garden via steps or via garden lift, able
to accommodate wheelchair user and companion. Some hard
gravel paths at lower levels. Separate viewing point available,
please ask staff for assistance if required

Other features Heavily-carved oak furniture from 17th century.
Tactile opportunities in the Jacobean garden, with sundials,
scented plants and herbs. Tactile opportunities in house and
garden. Collection of Tudor-style pottery and toys by
appointment